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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.323, patentees, through their attorneys, respectfully request that a Certificate of Correction be issued in the above-referenced patent.

The errors occurred as a result of mistakes made by the patentees and include the following:

Column 2, lines 18-22, please delete the following sentences:

“The present invention provides a new stable pharmaceutical composition comprising EPO in accordance with claim 1. Preferred embodiments are set forth in the sub-claims. The present invention also provides a process according to claim 21, and a use according to claim 22.”

In its place, please insert the following sentence:

-- The present invention provides a new stable pharmaceutical composition of erythropoietin (EPO) stabilized with, among other things, a combination of a poloxamer polyol and a polyhydric alcohol. --

The mistakes were inadvertent and were made without any deceptive intent, and correction of the same does not affect the scope of the patent.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.322, patentees, through their attorneys, also respectfully request that a Certificate of Correction be issued in the above-referenced patent with regard to

the following additional errors and mistakes made by the Patent and Trademark Office in the printing of the patent certificate:

Column 7, line 56, "weighVvolume " should be -- weight/volume --; and

Column 12, line 36, "polyoly " should be -- polyol --.

Column 12, Claim 3, line 67, add -- about -- before "100000 IU EPO."

Column 14, Claim 12, line 5, add -- amount of -- before "about 0.1%. w/v."; and,

Column 14, Claim 13, line 7, change "comprising" to -- consisting of --.

A proposed Certificate of Correction incorporating all of the above requested corrections is attached hereto.

The petition fee of \$100 is paid herewith. Should proper payment not be enclosed, the check be in the wrong amount, or otherwise improper or entirely missing, please charge the unpaid amount or credit the overage to our Deposit Account No. 12-2355. Two photocopies of this letter are also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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